AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

On Page 12, please replace the last paragraph with the amended paragraph, as follows:

When the application level in the MS sends a setup message to set up an IP multimedia call, before or after sending such a message over the radio interface, the MS performs the appropriate procedures, depending on the type of access adopted, to set up the appropriate bearers over the radio interface and in the network to satisfy the call requirements specified by the application level in the setup message message.

On Page 15, please replace the paragraph covering lines 7-10 with the amended paragraph, as follows:

7. Initial bearer creation procedure is performed. During this bearer creation step, the resources in the UE(A)'s and UE(B)'s access network are reserved with PDP context procedures. Bearer resources in eternal-external-external-networks may also be reserved at this point.

On Page 18, please replace the paragraph covering lines 3-5 with the amended paragraph, as follows:

Referring to FIG. 8, which Fig. 8 illustrates an example of a technique for providing announcements in mobile-originated calls in accordance with the present invention, in step #1, a setup message is sent from an MS to a peer invention.

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On Page 18, please replace the paragraph covering lines 6-11 with the amended paragraph, as follows:

In step #1, a setup message is sent from an MS to a peer. This setup message is intercepted by the network which has been instructed to forward an announcement message in response to a call setup to the called party. The machine that will play the announcement, referred to in the drawing figure as the Remote CSCF/REP, in step #2, acknowledges the setup message with a connect message including its IP address and Port number, that is, the Remote Equipment TA, so as to enable the MS to properly connect with it.